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**DWR RECEIVES GRANT APPLICATIONS FOR GROUNDWATER RECHARGE
AND STORAGE CONSTRUCTION PROGRAMS**

SACRAMENTO -The Department of Water Resources announces that 43 applications have been received for the Proposition 13 Groundwater Recharge and Storage Construction Programs.

More than \$255 million in grant requests were received for the Groundwater Storage Construction grant program while two applications totaling approximately \$5,500,000 were submitted for the Groundwater Recharge Construction loan program.

For the 2003 funding cycle, \$76,840,000 is available through the grant program and \$8,720,000 through the loan program.

The application log listing applications received for both programs is available at the DWR website:

<http://www.dpla2.water.ca.gov/grants-loans/gwater-grant/index.shtml>

The Department of Water Resources operates and maintains the State Water Project, provides dam safety and flood control and inspection services, assists local water districts in water management and water conservation planning, and plans for future statewide water needs.

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